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Dean, FYI.

My personal view is that while this is fine for what it is, given the plume's movement away from the animas corridor into the San Juan River and the very active engagement of Navajo reps in today's elected officials call, it would be nice to start adding a more visible, proactive R9 narrative soon.

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All. This statement is ready for Congressional contacts now--Region 6 and Region 8 have that covered. It contains the information from this afternoon's briefing. It can issue to media and other contacts later tonight. We'll be ready to answer questions first thing in the morning.

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